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April 8, 2013

VIA ELECTRONIC AND U.S.MAIL

Honorable Jocelyn G. Boyd
Chief Clerk/ Administrator
Public Service Commission of South Carolina
Post Office Drawer 11649
Columbia, South Carolina 29211

RE: Application of the Utilities Services of South Carolina, Inc. for
adjustment of rates and charges for the provision of water and
sewer service and modification of rate schedules; Docket No.
2005-217-WS

Dear Ms. Boyd:

This letter is to inform you that the City of Columbia intends to adjust its rates and charges beginning May 1, 2013, and that several of those rates and charges will be the bulk water service rendered to USSC.

This Increase will affect customers in the Dutchman Shores and Raintree Acres/Dutch Village Subdivisions in Richland and Lexington Counties as a result of the pass-through provisions contained in USSC's rate schedule approved in Order No. 2006-22 in the above-referenced docket.

Accordingly, USSC request that the Commission accept this letter and the attachment as the notice required under Commission Order No. 2006-22, Docket No. 2005-217- W/S and approved the pass-through of these increased charges on customer bills in the affected subdivision beginning with the billing that would occur after this Commission notice and after customers are appropriately noticed.

By copy of this letter, I am notifying the Office of Regulatory Staff that I have provided the attached document and this associated correspondence on to you.

If you have any questions or if you need any additional information, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Kirsten Markwell". The signature is fluid and cursive.

Kirsten Markwell

Cc: Nanette Edwards, Esquire

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Daphne.Duke

From: Jocelyn.Boyd
Sent: Monday, April 08, 2013 1:25 PM
To: Daphne.Duke; Deborah.Easterling; Tricia.DeSanty
Subject: FW: USSC Pass Thru from City of Columbia
Attachments: Email from City of Columbia 3.27.13.pdf; City of Columbia 4.8.2013.pdf

Please post.

From: Kirsten Markwell [<mailto:KEMarkwell@uiwater.com>]
Sent: Monday, April 08, 2013 1:07 PM
To: Jocelyn.Boyd
Subject: USSC Pass Thru from City of Columbia

Dear Ms. Boyd,

Please find attached an electronic copy of USSC's notice to the Commission of a pass thru for water charges from the City of Columbia. Please contact me if you have any questions. This letter and attached email have also been sent to you via USPS and have been copied to Nanette Edwards.

Sincerely,

Kirsten Markwell

Kirsten Markwell

From:
Sent:
To:
Cc:
Subject:

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From: Jaco, Joey [<mailto:jdjaco@columbiasc.net>]
Sent: Wednesday, March 27, 2013 3:09 PM
To: Bob Gilroy
Cc: Adams, Angela
Subject: RE: Rate question

Bob,

These meters are likely being charged our commercial rate. I am copying Angela Adams our Customer Care Administrator to verify the accounts. The rate fee changes can be found on our website at COCwatersewer.com. The major changes that may affect your accounts are:

- All water meters 1" and larger will see a decrease in water base fee
- Combination meters will only be charged a water base fee on the larger meter
- The volumetric rate will increase by 7.96%

I hope this answers your questions. If not, feel free to call me or Angela Adams (545-3306).

Thanks.

Joey

Joseph D. Jaco, P.E.

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From: Bob Gilroy [<mailto:rhgilroy@uiwater.com>]
Sent: Wednesday, March 27, 2013 11:24 AM
To: Jaco, Joey
Subject: Rate question

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